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1. A method for managing communications between requester processes and server processes in a data processing network, including:  
creating a set of dispatcher processes, each having a unique process identifier;  
associating each of a set of requester processes, which communicate with a server process via a common interpreter process having a single process identifier, with a different dispatcher process of said set of dispatcher processes;  
for requests sent from any of said set of requester processes via said common interpreter process to a server process which identifies requester processes using a process identifier, routing said requests via the associated dispatcher process;  
at the respective dispatcher process, attaching the unique identifier of the dispatcher process to the request and then forwarding the request to the server process; and  
responsive to receipt by the dispatcher process of a reply to said request, forwarding the reply to the associated requester process via the common interpreter process.

2. A method according to claim 1, wherein the common interpreter process via which said set of requester processes communicate is a Java Virtual Machine.

3. A method according to claim 2, wherein the set of requester processes comprise Web Browsers which communicate with a server process via respective Servlet threads running within a JVM of a Web Server or Web application server.

1 4. A computer program product comprising program code recorded on a machine readable  
2 recording medium, the program code including instructions for, when executed, controlling the  
3 operation of a data processing apparatus to implement a method for managing communications  
4 between requester processes and server processes in a data processing network, the method  
5 including:

6 creating a set of dispatcher processes, each having a unique process identifier;

7 associating each of a set of requester processes, which communicate with a server process  
8 via a common interpreter process having a single process identifier, with a different dispatcher  
9 process of said set of dispatcher processes;

10 for requests sent from any of said set of requester processes via said common interpreter  
11 process to a server process which identifies requester processes using a process identifier, routing  
12 said requests via the associated dispatcher process;

13 at the respective dispatcher process, attaching the unique identifier of the dispatcher  
14 process to the request and then forwarding the request to the server process; and

15 responsive to receipt by the dispatcher process of a reply to said request, forwarding the  
16 reply to the associated requester process.

1 5. A data processing apparatus, including:

2 a server process which uses process identifiers to distinguish between requests received  
3 from different client processes;

4 means for creating a set of dispatcher processes, each having a unique process identifier;

5 means for associating each of a set of requester processes, which communicate with the  
6 server process via a common interpreter process having a single process identifier, with a  
7 different dispatcher process of said set of dispatcher processes;

